

CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 February 24 2016 to 0600 February 25 2016



Flash flooding sent water, mud and rocks rushing across Interstate 5 north of Los Angeles in October 2015.

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Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

National News – Significant Events

4 killed as storm swirls up East Coast

(USA Today) Residents up and down the East Coast were facing a cleanup Thursday morning after a strong storm worked its way northward, killing four, injuring dozens and leaving thousands without power. Nationwide, more than 2,250 flights had been canceled by early Wednesday evening and nearly all big U.S. carriers had enacted flexible re-booking policies. And more than 150 flights had already been preemptively canceled for Thursday as airlines scrambled to get their planes and crews back into place. In Virginia, two men and a young boy were killed in Waverly when their mobile home was destroyed Wednesday afternoon. In Appomattox County, a man whose home was destroyed by the storm was found dead and seven others were injured in the area, according to Virginia State Police. "I'm just shocked for seeing everything with the debris and everything flying up," said Desmond Gardner, a Waverly resident. "Big ball of fire from the power lines and debris smacking against my car as I was sitting in it, and I heard that I lost a good friend today, so my prayers go out to their family. "The Virginia Department of Transportation set up detours and advised motorists to delay or avoid travel in that area. Around Washington, D.C., thousands were without power, according to utilities Pepco and Dominion Power. The quick-moving storm swirled north into Pennsylvania at about 50 mph, knocking down trees and wires along the way. "This whole area got hit hard with this storm," Saul Schmoltz, a lieutenant with Union Fire Company, said at the scene of a downed 40-foot pine tree on Park Street in East Manchester Township. Fire crews were sent to Park Street shortly before 7 p.m. for a report of a structure collapse. Responding fire engines were blocked from driving up Park Street a couple hundred feet from that home because of the 40-foot tree, Schmoltz said. But they were able to get on scene, and determined a tree had fallen on the home, causing only minor damage. No one was injured.

International News – Significant Events

US, China agree on UN sanctions against North Korea over missile test

(CNN) The U.S. and China have agreed to a draft resolution increasing U.N. sanctions against North Korea as punishment for the Communist country's latest nuclear test and rocket launch. Security Council diplomats told Fox News late Wednesday that draft resolution had been circulated to all 15 members of the council for their consideration. A senior Western diplomat told Fox News that a vote on the resolution could take place by this weekend. The Security Council is scheduled to hold closed consultations Thursday afternoon on compliance with the North Korean sanctions resolutions, and the U.S.-China draft could be discussed then with the 10 non-permanent council members. The U.S., Russia, Britain, France and China hold veto power over any resolution as permanent members. The agreement follows a flurry of activity in Washington, including meetings between China's Foreign Minister Wang Yi and U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry on Tuesday, and with National Security Adviser Susan Rice on Wednesday afternoon. National Security Council spokesman Ned Price said Rice and Wang agreed "on the importance of a strong and united international response to North Korea's provocations, including through a U.N. Security Council resolution that goes beyond previous resolutions." "They agreed that they will not accept North Korea as a nuclear weapons state," Price said. Earlier on Wednesday, Kerry told a Congressional hearing: "We're on the brink of achieving a strong United Nations Security Council resolution." North Korea started off the new year with what it claims was its first hydrogen bomb test on Jan. 6 and followed that up with the launch of a satellite on a rocket on Feb. 7 that was condemned by much of the world as a test of banned missile technology. Over the past 10 years, North Korea has conducted four nuclear tests and launched six long-range missiles — all in violation of Security Council resolutions. South Korea's U.N. Ambassador Oh Joon has urged the Security Council to adopt "extraordinary" measures to make clear to the North "that it will no longer tolerate its nuclear weapons development." The U.S., its Western allies and Japan, also pressed for new sanctions that go beyond the North's nuclear and missile programs. But China, Pyongyang's neighbor and supporter on the council, is reluctant to impose measures that could threaten the stability of North Korea and cause the country's economy to collapse.



SITUATION SUMMARY

CDCR Deuel Vocational Institution , San Joaquin County

At 2031 hours on 02/24/2016 the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received notification from the 24 hour Duty Officer with California Department of Corrections (CDCR). CDCR had a water main break at the Deuel Vocational Institution in Tracy. The facility is located at 23500 Kasson Road, Tracy, CA 95376. CDCR activated their ICP in response to this incident.

- The CDCR requested 24 porta-lets to be delivered as soon as possible. No requests for water or any other unmet needs were reported.
- CDCR has a contractor in route to fix the water main and confidence is high the repairs will be made quickly.
- The CSWC communicated with the EDO, Regional DO and CDCR DO via a conference call and information for local vendors was provided to the CDCR DO and Warden Price.
- At 2155 hours Wednesday, CDCR confirmed procurement with a local vendor and the toilets would be delivered Wednesday night.
- There are currently no unmet needs or requests for assistance.

Lost Hill Oil Field, Kern County

At 1937 hours on 02/23/2016 the California State Warning Center (CSWC) was contacted by the Department of Oil and Gas (DOG) Bakersfield Branch. DOG was alerted to a fissure that has formed in the Lost Hill Oil Field in Kern County. The closest cross street to the Oil Field is Holloway and HWY 46.

At 1352 hours on 02/24/2016 DOG Bakersfield Branch advised:

- Kern County Environmental Health responded back to the incident location and advised there is no immediate risk to the health or environment and no release of hydrocarbons, gas or steam.
- CHP and Caltrans were also present at the site today and confirmed that SR46 is not impacted and no damage is present, however, they will both continue to monitor.
- State Geologist John Parish and DOG have advised this is not related to the 02/23/16 EQ event in Kern County. The fissure was present prior to the event. The fissure history and presence will continue to be investigated.
- DOG will conduct inspections on wells tomorrow that are in the area. The wells were previously inspected in October 2015.
- DOG has restricted the area with temporary fencing with future operations to construct a permanent structure.
- There are no requests for assistance or unmet needs at this time.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Weather of Concern

Northern California

- Another long period swell will affect coastal areas and beaches with above normal surf Friday into Saturday.

Southern California

- Dense fog until 0900 hours this morning for parts of the central and southern San Joaquin valley.
- A large, long period west swell will create dangerous wave conditions along the beaches through this evening. Surf of 12 to 18 feet is expected for west facing beaches along the Central California Coast.
- For Southernmost beaches expect sets 5 to 10 feet up to 12 feet. With surf gradually diminishing tonight.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrelativehumidity.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Medford Weather:

Strong long wave ridge now over the west coast will move slowly east, moving out of the area Friday morning. There is some fog along the coast and over the western valleys that will burn off this morning. Other than that there will be areas of mid- level and high clouds. Today will be the warmest day of the week with coastal highs around 5 degrees above normal and inland highs 10 to 15 degrees above normal.

Eureka Weather:

Dry weather will hold over the region today and tonight. A weakening front will approach on Friday bringing a chance of rain in the afternoon and evening. More light rain is expected with another front on Sunday.

Reno Weather:

Temperatures across northeast California and western Nevada will be well above average through Friday before easing down slightly for the weekend. It will be breezy Friday, with a chance for showers mainly north of Interstate 80 Friday night and early Saturday. Another weak system is possible Sunday night followed by dry conditions to start next week.

Sacramento Weather:

Expect Dry weather with above normal temperatures through Friday. A weak system will bring a chance for light rain north of interstate 80 Friday evening into early Saturday followed by another weak storm Sunday into Monday morning.

San Francisco Weather:

Dry weather conditions and unseasonably warm temperatures will continue through the remainder of the work week as high pressure remains over the area. A weak system passing to the north will bring a chance of light precipitation over the north bay late Friday. Otherwise, dry weather and above average temperatures are likely to persist into the first half of next week.



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WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Hanford Weather:

Dry weather will continue for the next several days as a ridge of high pressure dominates the pattern, except for areas of night and morning fog in the San Joaquin valley. Skies will be mostly clear, high temperatures will continue well above normal.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

High pressure aloft will continue above normal temperatures into Friday. Onshore flow will allow overnight low clouds and fog on the coast and a cooling trend over the weekend. High pressure will build in early next week for a warming trend and decreasing cloudiness into midweek, but a low pressure system will dip south late next week for cooler and cloudier conditions.

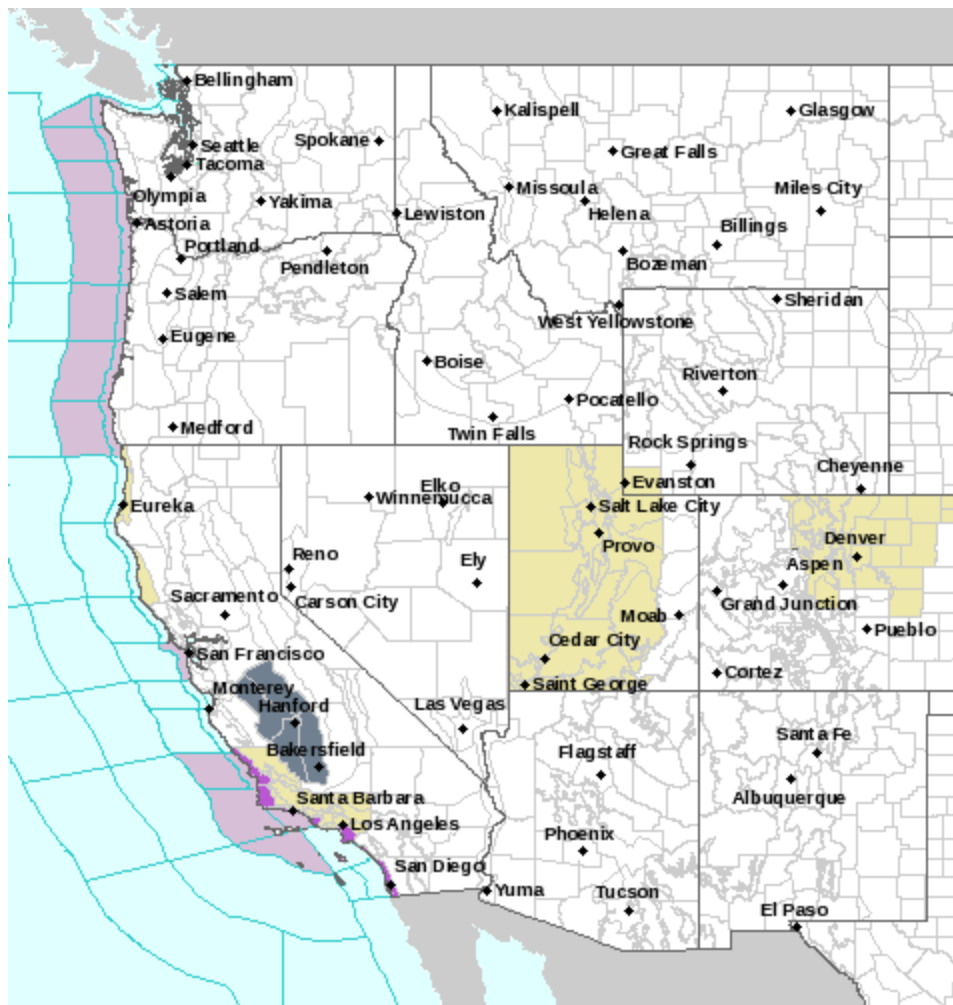
Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

Fair weather will continue this coming week. It will be slightly cooler this weekend with some coastal clouds returning. A warming trend is expected next week with some offshore flow.

Southeast California Weather:

High pressure will build across the area through the weekend with dry conditions and well above normal temperatures. A weak system will move through early next week bringing breezier conditions and a brief cool down.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Flood Advisory
 High Surf Advisory
 Dense Fog Advisory
 Small Craft Advisory
 For Hazardous Seas
 Small Craft Advisory
 For Rough Bar
 Marine Weather
 Statement
 Hazardous Weather
 Outlook



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 63 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 29 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2016-LAW-21584, 1545 HOURS, 02/21/2016:** El Dorado County SAR requested five HRD K9 teams to search near South Lake Tahoe for a missing 69 y/o female who has been missing for five days. The MP is not in good health. Her vehicle was located at a remote parking area. Teams are to meet at EDSO in South Lake Tahoe at 0800. Cal OES K9 coordinator is arranging for the K9 teams. **UPDATE: 1915 hours, 02/24/2016,** EDSO is requesting Placer County Nordic SAR team to assist with segmented search and probing. LDO is coordinating, Placer County Nordic SAR, Sgt. Hunt was advised and will attempt to fill the request. **Mission Ongoing**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.